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CFTC Comments

Dear CFTC Comments:

Recent instability in energy commodity prices have stressed individual and business budgets in the U.S. Many Americans believe that speculation has been responsible for much of the instability, and there are data to support this view. The CFTC should approve the Federal Speculative Position Limits proposal to reduce the untoward effects of speculation.

Sincerely,

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